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SUBJECT

~~Boundaries of~~
Annexation of Chanda
Nandgaon.

File ordered to be recorded

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FILE HEADING.

A new chattram at Nanjangud.

From

The Muzrai Commissioner,

No. C 641 Dated 18/12/25. Received 19/12/25.

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Recommends that the Kunchigar chattram at Nanjangud and the Stone mantap adjoining it may subject to certain conditions, be handed over to Mr. V. Rama Iyer for being repaired at a cost

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of Rs 10,000 for the location of a Shankara mata and a chattram for the use of the travellers visiting Nanjangud.

1. The Dy. Comrs. letter dt 8. 12. 25

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and the Mag Cent's letter under
acknowledgement explain fully the
facts of the case.

2 The applicant Mr Rama
Ayer wants the Kumbagar
chathram and the adjoining
mantap belonging to Sri Sankara
Swamy temple at Nanjangud
for the location of a Shankara
Matt and a chathram for
the benefit of the travellers.

3 The Taluk Amildar and the
Sub Divl Officer and the Dy.
Cmr recommend that subject
to certain conditions, the two
buildings may be handed over
to Mr Rama Ayer for the
construction of a new chathram
for the use of the travellers
while the Mag. Cmr Seems
recommend that the buildings
may be handed over for the
construction of a Shankara Mat
and a chathram

4 Submit for orders as to which
the views of the M.C.

AL
22.12.1925 Magistrate should

RG
23/12/25

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RSaw 30/12

6 May be sd. A suitable choultry land may be given
1st instance & 31/12 for the reconstruction

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7 Whose were the terms of the mutchalika in accordance with which Chattram in question was taken under Govt management as stated in Govt Order No 9 dt 28/2/1906: It is necessary to know this & decide if Govt can dispense of the building by granting it to another person as proposed by the Dt

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8 D/S Subdr. 6.1.26 Dy 7.1.26

9 For approval of the draft Rev. Secy.) 9/1.

10 Jud. 14/1 18/1

2. To. Inam Commr. No 855 dy 16.1.26.

Enquires under what terms Kunchigar's chattram Cana under Govt management & calls for the original mutchalika with the connected records

3. From, the Inam. Commr. Letter no. C.671 dy 5.4.1926.

Submits a copy of the mutchalika dy 3rd Septr 1899 executed by Mr. Dodda mallanna and others transferring the management of Bommiah's charities to Govt.

11 The terms of the mutchalika are that the properties vested in them

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which have been set apart for charity by their ancestors may be taken possession of by such. and the stipulated Sevas conducted through such Agency in perpetuity.

12) In order with ref. to Member's minutes in para 7 of the Office note.

AV 9.4.26. 13 There does not seem to be anything to militate against the terms of the Memorandum in case Mr. Ramaiya does not reserve any proprietary right over the building & conducts the Charity and agrees to hand over the building to Govt when required. May this M. (?) receive be sanctd.?

Rly 9.4.26

14 Rev. Secy

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15 1st Member

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4.20 14.4

16 The chattram [illegible] as also the rights chattrams & dharmas with some other properties were taken over by Govt on the understanding that the chattrams were to be maintained from the income derived from the lands & other properties. It was to know whether

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4 To, Hon'ble Commr
No 1395 dt 15.2.26.
Calls for further
report in the matter before the
end of June next

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From, The Muz Comr
Letter no. C. 671 dy 27-5-1927.

Reports for reasons stated that he sees no prima facie objection to accept ~~any~~ the Rama Iyer's offer even though he wishes to restrict the use of the building to one community alone.

If the Rama Iyer's petitions have not been received with the records.

A/c calling for them, if submitted for appl.

MV 1.6.1927. EJ 1/6/27

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Maybe obtained later

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DB

The Chattram is apparently known as the Ramchajars Chattram It has been handed over to Govt to be maintained "ಧರ್ಮಛತ್ರ" There would be nothing wrong in having it repaired by M.V. Manager but it shd not, it would seem, be reserved for the use of Brahmins only The building are said to be in a bad condition and a nuisance and danger in their present state If Govt cannot maintain the chattram it may be pulled down and the site used for

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a new chattram or other such purpose. To hand it over to one particular man for the use of this community - not being the original donor community - would seem to be objectionable - It would certainly provoke much unfavourable comment in the public.

4 The best course would seem to be to ask the Municipality to repair the building and leave it as a chattram for all travellers.

5 The papers are submitted for perusal and orders

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Second Member)

6 I agree that it is undesirable to hand over the building for conversion as a Mutt and a chattram intended for the use of only one community. I am also not sure if Government have the power to permit such diversion, After all, as they are only in the position of Trustees. If the building is coming down and the place is a source of danger to the public, we might ask the local municipality to take necessary steps to provide for the proper sanitation

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sanitation of the place. The only diversion which can be defended would be to permit the temple to make use of the building or the site, if the building is not in a condition to be used at all. We may ask the Muzrai Commissioner to have enquiries made as to whether the temple has no use for this property.

27 There is one connected point which it is necessary to pursue This chattram is part of the charities referred to in the G.O. dated 28th March 1906. I want to know who is really managing these charities now. Do we manage it directly or have we entrusted the management to a Board of Dharmadarsis ? If the latter, how can they disown responsibility for the case of this building ? Have they kept proper accounts for income and expenditure of the Trust ? Have they obtained the sanction of Government to the expenditure and annual income of the properties ? Are the lands which form part of Trust property being let out regularly and the gutta amounts collected every year? The accounts of this Trust may be obtained for a period of three years from whoever is keeping them. If information on all these points is not available here, we may ask the Muzrai Commissioner to furnish them.

28 Brdbr mc 6/6

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From, The Mug. Commr.
Letter no. 671 dt 2-6-27.
Submits in Contn for order
of Govt., petition from Holle
Rangauna and three representatives
of the original donors dt 15/4/27
B The representatives pray that
the chattram may be rebuilt
from charity funds, and compen-
sation amounts kept as reserve
in the Mysore Taluk Office,
with a view to perpetuate the
objects of the donor, that an
estimate may be got prepared
from P. W. D, and the Contract
may be given to them, that
if a larger amount is require
they would contribute their mite
also, and that they and their
heirs are not at all willing
to hand over this building to
others.-
B. It is seen from the M.C. Slip
that a total sum of Rs 4715-0-0
is available at the credit
of these charities, and the D-C
reports

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that This amount is not sufficient for the purpose.
Re- Submit. for orders-
M 10.6.27. BL 14.6.27

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Please get information on the ~~Nine~~ points referred to in Member's minute
MW 22/6

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DD. Submit
M 27.6.27. BL 28.6.27

Issue MW 28/6

7. To Mess Comms
no 37 dt 8.7.27
calls for further reports in the matter

8. From, The Muzfar Comr
Letter no. C. 671 dt 18.1.28.
Submits an 'ad-interim report in the matter.

33 The M.C reports that a sum not more than Rs 1000/ will be spared out of a cash balance of

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Rs 3599 and odd available at the credit of Bommiah's chattram and Mysore to which the Ranjangu Kunchigar chattram under reference belongs, and recommends acceptance of the Dy. Comr's proposal so far as it concerns the renovation of the building, and permission to the Dy. Comr to get the necessary estimates prepared by the P. W. D. The descendants of the founders of Bommiah's charity have petitioned stating that they would contribute their mite towards the repair of the Ranjangu chattram, and the Dy. Comr states that he will ask them to deposit the amount in advance.

May the M. C's recommendation be sanctioned?

3rd The further proposed re the points raised in Sl. 7 may be awaited

Submitted

AV
26.1.28.

2nd The Ranjangud Kunchigar Chattram is said to belong to Bommiah Chattram at Mysore and the Dharmadarsis

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of the Zilla chairman are willing to contribute a sum of Rs 1000/ for the renovation the former which is in a state of dilapidation, but unless a regular Estimate is prepared there is no knowing how much the renovation will cost.

2) The Mhz Commr may perhaps be requested to have an Estimate prepared by the P.W.D and find out how much the descendants of the original donor are prepared to contribute then amt may be secured from them & credited to the Treasury. & the Estimate sent up to Govt for Sanction.

3) The Mhz Commr may also be asked to expedite the reports called for in this Office Letter No. 37/mar/191 of 8.7.27.

Rd 26/1/28 2) Signed (Member) 27/1

A. Appd

4) The renovation Work of Durga

1) The Mhz Commr may be requested to have an Estimate prepared by PWD and submitted Sanction the Work & the Dept can be met from the Sources suggested by him. Reports on other points may be required to be expedited

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28 JAN. 1928
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FINANCIAL SECRETARY
30 JAN. 1928
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WD. Secretary.
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9. The Meerut Commissioner
No. 1289 S 6-2-28
Accepts the proposal in ab 8
and requests to expedite the replies
~~in the~~ re the other points referred to
in ab 4

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From, the hug. Comr
Letter no C. 671 Dy 4.2.28
Submits further report called for in sl. 7.

4 As regards the members' minutes in para 8 of the office note, the following information is submitted:-

(1) The charities are managed by a Board of Trustees, and the Building in question is under the management of Govt.

(2) The accounts of the Trust properties are regularly maintained. A scale of income and expenditure has been fixed for the charity. The income and expenditure of these charities for 3 years 1923 to 1925-6 is appended in the margin of the D.C's letter Dy 10.8.1927.

(3) It is reported that extra realizations are being regularly credited to the funds of the charity.

Submitted. 23.2.28. The correspondence may be recorded. Refer members minutes

Para 27 of the Office note) G.H

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FEB. 23 4784	in paras 26 & 27 of the office note. 89 23-2-28 The opinion of the A-G & the Hon'ble Minister (Revenue) dissenting. 23/2 No further action necessary. Sd 24.2.28

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No.C 671 of 25-6 re-receipt Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 17th December 1925.

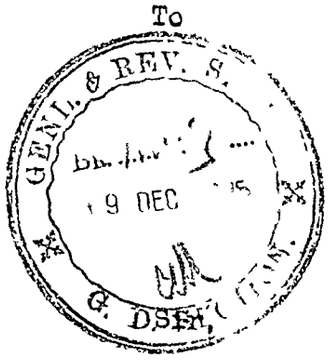
From

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.

To



B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Revenue Department.

I have the honor to forward herewith copy of letter C.No. 672/15-16 dated 8th December 1925 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, recommending that the Kunchigar chattram at Nanjungud and the stone mantap adjoining it may, subject to certain conditions, be handed over to Mr. V. Rama Iyer, Proprietor Sri Chandrasekharaswami Bank, for being repaired at a cost of Rs.10,000/- for the location of a Sankara matha and a chattram for the use of the travellers resorting to Nanjungud.

2. Para 3 of Government Order No.4266-8 dated 28th March 1906 deals with the chattram above referred to and how it came under Government management. From the enclosed file of vernacular papers it will be seen that various proposals for repairing the chattram building were made and that none of them took any practical shape and that the building continues to be a source of nuisance and danger to the neighbourhood. It is roughly estimated that about 7 to 8 thousand rupees will be required if the building has to be put in order. The Dharmadarsis of Bommalya's Charities, Mysore, to which the chattram is attached, are not willing to contribute more than Rs.1000/- towards the estimated cost of repairs. The descendants of the original Founder of the Charities are reported to be in straitened circumstances and have also expressed their complete inability either to undertake the

its repairs - Mr. M.D.Doddamallanna, the eldest living member of the family and also the convenor of the committee of Dharmadarsis has agreed to the chattram at Nanjungud being handed over to Mr. V. Rama Iyer for being rebuilt and made available for pilgrims - visiting Nanjungud.

3. As the intentions of Mr. V. Rama Iyer seem to be bona-fide and as he agrees to lay no claim either to the building or to the investment ma e on its improvements, I beg to recommend that subject to conditions similar to those enumerated in Government Proceedings No.1148/M.F.170-24-2 dated 29th January 1923 the chattram building and the stone mantap adjoining it may be made to Mr. V. Rama Iyer for being renovated as proposed.

A mutchalika in suitable terms will be taken from Mr. Rama Iyer before he is put in charge of the building. He will also be asked to submit for formal approval the plans and estimates - before the work is actually begun.

I solicit the favour of early orders in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

C.S. Balasundaram

Muzrai Commissioner.

KSR.

Letter No.372/15-16 dated5/8th December 1925 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"Adverting to letter No.1886/Muz.105-06 dated 27th February -- 1905 from the Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Department, regarding the repairs to the Kunchigar's Chattram at Nanjangud I have the honor to state that the committee of Bommiah's charities have resolved in their meeting held on 13-9-1925 that a sum of ---- Rs.1000/- may be utilised out of the funds of Bommiah's Chatram at Mysore for repairing the Chattram at Nanjangud if the Government -- undertake to repair the building. Mrssrs. M.D.Muddappa and M.D. Mallanna have stated on 5-9-1925 that the Chattram should be repaired at the cost of Government and that the repairs to the Chattram should not be carried out by any outsider.

One Mr. V. Rama Iyer, Proprietor, Sri Chendrasekaraswami Bank Nanjangud, has applied to the grant of the Kunchitigar Chattram and the stone mantap belonging to the Sri Srikanteswaraswami temple -- stating that both the buildings will be repaired at a cost of Rs,10,000 for the location of a Shankar Matt and the Chattram for the use of -- travellers who resort to Nanjangud.

Mr. Doddamallanna, Convenor of the Bommiah Charities has stated on 22-10-1925 before the Amildar, Mysore Taluk, that as the Chattram had to be repaired at a cost of Rs.10,000/-, Government may be requeste to attend to the repairs or the building may be handed over to ----- Venkatapathi Joisyer, Agent of Mr. V. Rama Iyer on condition that the charities for which the building was constructed should be comtinued.

The stone mantap referred to in the application of Mr. V. Rama Iyer is the one, belonging to the Sri Srikanteswaraswami temple. The gift of which to Mr. N. Srikanta Sastri was recently cancelled by -- Government in their order No.404/Muz.58-25-2 dated 7th October 1925.

Both the Amildar and the Sub Division Officer, Nanjangud, state that the buildings are at present an eye-sore and a source of nuisance and recommend that they may be handed over to Mr. V. Rama Iyer or his authorised Agent on the distinct understanding that he will repair -- both the buildings and use the same as a Chattram for the use of --- Brahmins.

Under the above circumstances, I am of opinion that the offer of

Rama Iyer may be accepted on the conditions. sp
ine favour of early orders in the matter is requested

"C o p y"

for Muzrai Commissioner.

SUBJECT.....

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To The Asst Comr

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

Date of issue 16-1-26

Signed by.....

Sir,

Adverting to your letter no. C.671 dt 18.12.25 recommending that the Kumaligan chattram at Nanjanad and the Stone mantap adjoining it, may be handed over to Mr. V. Rama Iyer for being repaired for the location of a Shankara Matt and a chattram for the use of the travellers resorting to Nanjanad

over

List of enclosures.....

Copied by.....

Examined by.....

WD 0562—GPB—31,000—17-8-25

I am directed ~~to invite~~
reference to para 5 of S.G.
No. 4236-S/Mug. 64-1892
dt 28-3-1906 forwarding
the addition of the said
Chatram to the Govt
Chatram Buildings at
Nanjangud ~~and to request~~ enquiring
~~to be informed~~ that the
terms of the Muchalika
were in accordance
with which the Kundrigar
Chatram in question came
under Govt management. as stated in para 5 of
~~forwarded~~
fr dt 28.3.1906

The original or a copy
of the Muchalika and
the connected records
may also be sent up for ref.

(2) The records now
received are herewith
returned for ref. & necessary
action.

I have &c.

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Dist Asst Secretary

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6.1.06

No. C 671/25-26 Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.
Encl one & one file

Dated Bangalore, 1st April 1926.

From

B. Ramaswamaiya, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.855/M.F.191-25-2 dated -- 16th January 1926 re handing over the Kunchigar chattram at ----- Nanjungud and the stone mantap adjoining it to Mr. V.S.Rama Iyer, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of letter C.No.671/25-26 dated the 4th Instant from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore ------ District submitting a copy of the mutchalika dated 3rd September 1899 executed by Mr. Dodda Mallanna and others transferring the -- management of Bommlan's charities to Government.

2. The terms of the mutchalika are to the following effect

" [illegible] out of the annual income a sum of Rs.72/- was also ear-marked for the maintenance of the chattram. The mutchalika further stipulate that the sum of about Rs.103/- annually saved should be utilized for keeping in good repair the buildings at Mysore, Nanjungud --- (Kalyana mantap and chattram) and at the foot of the Chamundi --- temple.

3. In respect of the chattram building at Nanjungud not only no establishment has ever been maintained but the several proposals made to repair it did not take any definite shape for want of sufficient funds - In view of the inability of the members of the Founder's family to pay anything towards the renovation of the -- building and the unwillingness expressed by the Dharmadarsis of

of Bommaiya's charities to contribute more than Rs.1000/- also of the fact that Mr. M.D.Malanna, the eldest living member of the family and its representative on the committee of manage ment, has no objection to the proposed arrangement, I am of opinion that there will be no violation of the terms of the mutchalika in making over the building to Mr. Rama Iyer for - re-construction, on terms detailed in Mr. Palasundaram Iyer's letter of the 18th December 1925. The building in its present condition is a positive nuisance and a source of danger to the neighbourhood-and as such requires immediate renovation.

4. The file of vernacular papers is enclosed.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Ramaswamy

Muzrai Commissioner.

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Letter No.671/25-26 dated 4th March 1926 from the Deputy Commissioner Mysore District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"With reference to your letter No.C.671 of 1925-26 dated 23-1-1926, calling for submission of further information in the matter of taking over the Kunchatigar Chattram at Nanjangud, I have the honor to resubmit herewith the vernacular correspondence ending with the Mysore Taluk Amildar's report No.C.9 of 1925-26 dated 20-2-1926, containing a true copy of the Mutchalika executed on 3-9-1899 (pherist No.39-40) by Chickamuddappa and others before the Deputy --- Commissioner, Mysore District.)

"C o p y"

for Muzrai Commissioner.

Draft. 25

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From
B.Srinivasiengar Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Revenue Secretary to Government.
Bangalore.

To
C.S.Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

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Signed by Govt

S i r,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No.C.671 dated the 5th instant re the handing over to Mr.V.Rama Iyer proprietor of the Sri Chandrasekhara Swami Bank, of the Kunchigara Chatram and the adjoining stone mantap at Nanjangud for being repaired and used as Sankara Mutt and chattram, I am directed to state that though it is seen from the papers relating to the Nanjangud Government in their order No. 4236-8 dated 28th March 1906 took over the management of the chatram in question and other properties known as Bommiah's charities subject to the performance of the marginally noted items of sevas etc as stipulated in the mutchalika dated 3rd September 1899 executed by Hotte Ranganna and 4 others, and it was found subsequently that the income from the properties endowed to the charities was quite insufficient to meet the expenses of all the items referred to above, Govt. sanctioned in their order No.2021-5/75-07 dated 29th May 1909 only items 2, 4 and 5 at a total cost of Rs 181/- (including of a sum of Rs 34 towards the kandayam of the lands) leaving a balance of Rs 147-8-0 per year which was quite insufficient for the annual repirs of the buildings and the other items of the charities. Subsequently later on the question of the repairs

(1) Rudrabhisheka at Nanjangud temple on Sivarathri day and Kalyanamantapothsava.
(2) Panakapuje and feeding in the chtram at the foot of Chamundi hill on Pathothsava day.
(3) Vrindavanothsava to Sri Prasanna Nanjundeswara at Mysore.
(4). Feeding on Aradhana day of their guru.
(5) Estt for the Santhepet Chattram
(6) Estt for Nanjangud Chatram
(7) Estt for Chatram at foot of Chamundi Hill.

of the chatram at Nanjangud having come up, for consideration, as I was requested that there was no amount available at the credit of the charities for the purpose and that the committee did not refuse their consent to the proposal made by Govt. to add on the building to the Brahmin chatram so that the cost of the repairs might be met from State funds, the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, was informed that repairs to the chatram could not be done unless funds were made available from the charities, a State grant being out of the question for an institution of the kind; and he was also requested to enquire and report if the Committee of Management or preferably the heirs of the original donors were willing to relinquish all right in the property in favor of Sri Sricantesvarswami temple so that the cost of repairs might be found from the temple funds The report called for in the above letter has not so far been received, and the building which stood in need of repair so far back as the year 1909 must have since considerably fallen into decay, as there was no establishment to look after the building. It is not clear to what use the chatram at the foot of the Chamundi hill has been put to and whether the building which has also no caretaker is in a habitable condition. As it is not possible to provide funds from State funds for the repair of the maintenance of any of the these buildings and as the income from the properties belonging to the cha is quite inadequate to meet the cost of the several items of sevas referred to above and the upkeep of the buildings, the cost of [illegible]

In Huzlecep Letter No. 1886/05-06 dt 27 th Feb. 1915

the Deputy Commissioner may be asked to enquire and report by the end of June next who are the present representatives of the original donors of charities and if they are willing either to take back the management themselves or to provide the necessary funds for their maintenance or to surrender t Government unconditionally their rights over the properties so that Government may make such arrangements as they consi der proper for the upkeep of the buildings or their disposa otherwise in the best interest of the public. On receipt c report, orders will be passed on the recommendation now made for making over the Chattram buildings at Nanjangud tc Mr. Rama Iyer, on the terms proposed by the Deputy Commissi er.

I have etc.

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Revenue Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE.

Bangalore, dated 26th M a y 1927
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FROM

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P.G. D'Souza Esq., P.A., P.L.,
MUZRAI COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

GEN. & REV SECRETARIAT
MAY 1927
MUZRAI
D 1738

To 28/5/27

P. Sreenivasa Iyengar Esq., P.A., P.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Financial Department.

Jmar 191-25-5

SIR,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No 1395/M.F.191-25-4 dated ~~15th~~ 1st May 1926 in the matter of handing over the Kunchatigar Chattram at Nanjangud and the stone mantap adjoining it to Mr.V. Rama Iyer, I have the honour to forward herewith copy of letter No. 4.5/A.C. dated 26th April 1927 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, furnishing the information required in your letter under reply and requesting sanction of Government to the proposals detailed in his letter of the 8th December 1925 and subsequent communications, copies of which have already been sent to you.

It seems to me that it is necessary to repair the building but no funds can be made available either from state Funds or from funds of the Dommiah's Charities. The representatives of the original donors are indifferent and are apparently unwilling to spend any money. In fact the terms according to which they have made over the institution reserve no right on their part and the management is left entirely to Government. In these circumstances I see no prima facie objection to accept Mr. Rama Iyer's offer even though he wishes to restrict the use of the building to one community alone.

The favour of early orders in the matter is solicited.

The file of vernacular papers is enclosed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Copy of letter No.H.5/A.C. dated 26th April 1927, from the Deputy Commissioner-Mysore District to the Deputy Mzral Commissioner in Mysore.

Kunchatigar's Chattram Building- Nanjangud- Transfer of-

With reference to your memo No.C.671 of 25-26 dated the 7/12th May 1926, forwarding copy of letter No.C.1395/Muz.191-25-4 dated 1st May 1926 from the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, and calling for submission of detailed information on the points raised therein, in the matter of Kunchatigar's Chattram at Nanjangud, I have the honour to state that in accordance to the requisition issued to the marginally noted gentlemen who are the representatives of the original donor Pommiah, all except 1 and 2 appeared before me on 20th May 1926. The Revenue Secretary's letter was translated to Kannada and explained to them. The representatives who were present promised to submit their opinion in writing the next day in the matter of providing funds for repairs to the Chattram Building at Nanjangud. Nos.1 and 2 who were absent on the date have opined that they have no objection for the transfer of the chattram at Nanjangud to Mr.V. Rama Iver of Tanjore. As no reply was received from the remaining representatives of the donor, the Amildar, Mysore Taluk, who was directed to intimate them that, if they did not furnish their reply before the end of December 1926 their representation in the matter will not be heeded, reports that as the said gentlemen are not to be found it is not possible to intimate the said order. Fresh notices were also issued to them through the Amildar, Mysore Taluk. He reports that 2 of the, (Sl.No.1 and 4) refused to receive the notices and as the others were not found in the town, notices have been served on their residence.

Messrs.
1. Hotte Ranganna.
2. Chickamuddappa
3. Doddamuddappa
4. Chickabammaiya
& 5. M.C. Mallaiya

As regards the Chattram Building at the foot of the Chamundi Hills the Amildar, Mysore Taluk, reports in his No.19-26-27 dated the 21st Aug. 1926 that the estimate for Rs.1,500/- for repairs to the building was returned to the Executive Engineer, Mysore Division, for retrans-

retransmission of a revised estimate for Rs.500/- as th amount available at the credit of the institution. No h er received from him in the matter.

In these circumstances, I request that sanction of Go may kindly be obtained to the proposals recommended in my lett C.671/25-26 (Muz.) dated the 4th April 1926.

The re-regular file of papers accompany.

C o p y.

For Muzrai Commissioner.

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SUBJECT.....

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Section Misc.

File No. 191-25

Serial No. 7

No. 37 Income file.

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

To

The Imuz Comr.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Sir,

Adverting to correspondence ending with your letter no. C.671/26-27 2nd June 1927 in the matter of the Kunchigar chattram at Nanjangud, I am directed to state that it is undesirable to hand over the building ~~to Mr. V. Rama Rao~~ for conversion into a new to the use proposed. ~~as a mall and a chattram which for the use of only one community~~ If the building is coming down and the place is a source danger to the public, the local municipality ~~may be asked~~

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Date of issue 2-7-27

Signed by M. Venkatesa Iyengar

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may be asked to take necessary steps to provide for the proper Sanitation of the place. ~~The only direction which can be defended would be to permit~~ The Sri Srikantaswara Swamy temple to cause ~~make~~ any use of the building or the site, if the building is not in a condition to be used at all. I am to request you to have enquiries made as to whether the Sri temple has no ~~use~~ for this property.

~~I am further to state that~~

There is one connected point which it is necessary to pursue viz chattram is part of the charities Regd. to in the S.O. no 4236 & 28-3-1906, ~~this~~ I am to request you to furnish in the same connection to furnish information on the points noted below: —

(1) Do you manage the charities, directly or has the management been entrusted

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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to a Board of Dharmadarsi? If the latter, how can they disown responsibility for the care of this building?

(2) Have they kept proper accounts for income and expenditure of the Trust? Have they obtained the sanction of Govt to the expenditure to be met from annual income of the properties?

(3) Are the lands which form part of Trust property being let out regularly and the full amounts collected every year? Are accounts of this Trust for a period of 3 years may be submitted.

(3) The record are herewith record for reference.

I have the

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Dy Financial Secretary,

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No. C 671/25-26 one & two files

Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

Dated Bangalore 17th/18 January 1928.

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P. G. D'Souza, Esq., P.A., P.L.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.

Memo 191-25-

To

B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., P.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His

Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Financial Department.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter --- No.619/M.F.191-25 dated 22nd October 1927 re Kunchitigar's Chattram at Nanjangud, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of letter --- No.H.5/A.C.dated 4th January 1928 from the Deputy Commissioner, --- Mysore District, stating among other matters, that a sum not more -- than Rs.1000/- will be spared from the cash balance of Pommiah's -- Chattram at Mysore to which the Nanjangud building also belongs and that, if approved, the Executive Engineer will be requested to prepar an estimate for necessary repairs, the descendants of the original -- donors being called upon to pay the balance of the estimated cost. As in the circumstances of the case this seems to be the only --- feasible course, I beg to recommend that the proposals of the ---- Deputy Commissioner so far as it concerns the renovation of the -- building may be accepted and he may be permitted to get the necessary estimates prepared by the Public Works Department.

2. The present reference from the Deputy Commissioner does not fully answer the points raised in our letter of the 6th July 1927 and consequently he has been requested to furnish the information required seriatum. On receipt of his reply, a further communication in the matter will be made separately.

3. The file of vernacular s is enclosed.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. Cheema, Ass 18/1/28

Asst Commissioner

Muzrai Commissioner.

(Absent from Station)

Letter No.H-5/A.C. dated 3rd/4th January 1928 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"Kunchitigar's chattram at Nanjangud-disposal of."

"With reference to your letters Nos.C.671/25-26 dated 1/2nd September 1927 and 30-10/2nd November 1927 requesting the submissio of further information regarding the disposal of the Kunchitigar Chattram at Nanjangud belonging to Bommiahs Charities at Mysore, I have the honor to state that the Amildar, Mysore Taluk, reports that a sum of Rs.600/- being the compensation amount awarded by the City Municipality for the acquisition of S.No.151 of Mysore Kasaba belonging to Bommiah's chattram, Santepet, Mysore, had been credited to the funds of the said chattram by the Municipality. But when the management of this chattram was transferred, by about the year 1908, from the Municipality to the Deputy Commissioner in the Muzrai Department the balance available then at the credit of the institution was also transferred to the Muzrai Department. The entire file relating to the transfer of the chattram under the management of the Muzrai Department is enclosed.

2. The chattram at Nanjangud which was in a dilapidated condition was purchased by the original founders of Bommiah's Chattram at Mysore from Mr. Dewan Venkate Urs and ever since then the chattram at Nanjangud is left to itself without any repairs being effected.

3. It is further reported by the Amildar that a sum of Rs.3599-5-10 is available at the credit of Bommiah's chattram on 30th November 1927 and that it is not possible to spare any funds towards the repairs of the chattram at Nanjangud, But as the Dharmadarsis of Bommiah's chattram have opined that not more than Rs.1000/- might be spent towards the repairs of the chattram at Nanjangud and as the descendants of the founders of the charity at Mysore desire that the chattram at Nanjangud should not be disposed of to others, an estimate may be caused to be prepared by the Public Works Department and out of the cost there of Rs.1000/- may be met from the funds of the Bommiah's chattram at Mysore, and the balance may be ordered to be met from the private funds of the descendants of the founders of Bommiah's charity at Mysore who may also be asked to deposit the amount in advance. The Executive Engineer, Mysore, will be requested to prepare an estimate and the descendants of founders of Bommiah's charity will be

be requested to intimate if they are willing to bear of cost.

. 4. The connected two files of correspondence together petition received with your letter C.3.671/25-2o dated 30-1 November 1927 are retransmitted herewith."

"C o p y"

M Thomas Ag

For Mazrai Commissioner.

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File No. 191-28

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To The Hon. Comr

Date of issue 6/8/28

Signed by M. L. Somerset Sgt

Sir,

Adverting to correspondence ending with your letter no C. 671 dt 18th January 28 in the matter of the Remission of the Kunchitigan Chattram as Vanjangad I am directed to state that the proposal is accepted. The Govt. wish you to have an estimate prepared by the P.W.D. and sanction the work if the cost can be met from the Sources

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[illegible] that acceptance of the proposal of the ADC to [illegible] forwarding copy of a letter from the ADC Nyoor to bring out a sum of Rs 1000/ to be spent from the Cash balance Kunnichi Chattram at Nyoor towards the Kunchitigan Chattram [illegible] the defendants of the proposal but [illegible] in the matter as to report

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[illegible] balance of the estimated cost recommend that Mr Meyer receive

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Suggested by you ~~as~~
~~the Renovation work is~~
~~urgent.~~ The amount ~~if~~
offered by the descendants
of the original donor
towards the repairs may be
received from them, and
credited to the Treasury.
Reply on other points
raised in this Hqrs letter
no. 37-Inez. 191-25 dt. 8.7.1927
may kindly be expedited.
Q) The records are herewith
returned for reg. & re. Subm.

I have the
honour
to be
Sir,
Your most obedient
servant,
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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. 1289 Dated, Bangalore, 6th February 1928

Mis 191-25-9 Encl two files

From B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

~~Secretary~~ to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Financial ~~and~~ Department

To

P. G. D'Souza, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to correspondence ending with your letter No. C. 671 dated 18th January 1928, forwarding copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore, stating that a sum of Rs. 1,000/- will be spared from the cash balance of Bommaiah's Chattram at Mysore towards the renovation of the Kunchitigar Chattram at Nanjangud, the decendants of the original donors being called upon to pay the balance of the estimated cost and recommending that these may be accepted, I am directed to state that the proposal is accepted. As the renovation of the building is very urgent, I am to request you to have an estimate prepared by the Public Works Department and sanction the work if the cost can be met from the sources suggested by you. The amount offered by the decendants of the original donor towards the repairs may be recovered from them, and credited to the Treasury.

Reply on other points raised in this office letter No. 37/Muz 191-25, dated 8th July 1927 may kindly be expedited.

2. The records are herewith returned for reference and resubmission.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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For Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

No. C671 en liro 25/6. Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 3rd February 1928.

From

FINANCIAL SECRETARY 4 FEB. 1928

R. G. D'Souza, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore C.

To

R. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His

Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Finance Department.

In continuation of this office letter C.No.671/25-26 dated 1st January 1927 acknowledging Government Order No. [illegible], I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of letter No.H.B/M.S. dated 27th January 1928 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, and enclosure thereto, letter of the 30th August 1927 giving detailed [illegible] and the points raised in your letter No.87/M.F.191-25-7 dated 6th July 1927.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Muzrai Commissioner.

"Kanchitipuram Chattram - Under-Disposal -

"With reference to your Memo No.C.671 of 27-36 dated 16th January 1928 forwarding copy of your letter of even date to the Secretary to ---- Government, Financial Department, in the matter of the disposal of the Kanchitipuram Chattram at Kanjeevaram stating that the information on all the points raised in Financial Secretary's letter of the 30th July 1927 has not been furnished by this office, I have the honour to invite reference to this office letter No.H.5/A.C.a dated 10th August 1927 in which it has been stated that (1) the management of the Chattram is under Government, (2) that a scale of income and expenditure has been fixed for the Chattram, and (3) that the surplus collections are being regularly credited to the funds of the Society.

A copy of the letter is also enclosed for ready reference."

"C o p y"

M Thomas Ag

For Actual Secretary.

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Letter No: 5/A.C. dated 10th August 1927,

from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District

to the Amildar Commissioner, in Mysore.

Kumchiligars' Chattram Building —

Nanjangud — transfer of —

With reference to your memo No. C. 5'11'
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dated 12th July 1927, calling for submission of further information in the matter of grant of Kumchi Tiger chattram Building, Nanjangud, to Mr. V. Ramachiger of Nanjangud, I have the honor to state as follows:

1. Necessary orders have been issued to the President, Nanjangud, Municipal Council, for taking necessary steps to provide for the proper sanitation of the place.

2. In para 6 of the Government order No 4236-8/Amly. Ec. 6 4 of 1842, according the endowment of the charities, Government called for submission of an estimate for executing necessary repairs to the chattram Building on Question An estimate for Rupees 85/- was prepared and submitted to Government for sanction but there were no funds at the credit of the institution a recommendation was made for the grant of funds from State Funds. Thereupon, Government called for a report whether Messrs Hotte Rangamma and others were willing to have the chattram added on to the Brahmin chattram at the place. The Committee of management were

willing to hand over the same for the said purpose.

3. After some correspondence the to Government, Murrai Department Hes letter No 1666 / Mercy 105 06 dated 24th 1915 intimated that the question of to the Chattram could not be taken up the source from which the cost had to be met were shown and that a contribution from State grant for the installation of this kind was out of question. Further, he added that if the Committee of Bommiah charities or his heirs were willing to relinquish all rights on the property in favour of the Sri Srikanthe - Swamy Swamy temple, it was possible to find funds for the repairs from temple funds and called for the submission of a revised estimate for its repairs as the building must have deteriorated further since the submission of the original estimate in 1906.

4. An endorsement was issued on the terms of the above letter to Mr. Dodda Muthanna, Convenor of the charities, who replied that from the Muthalika executed him and four others in the year 1899, it is clear that the donors had not reserved their rights on the properties in question and the Chattram might be got repaired. Government The Amildar, Ramanagud Taluk, was also requested to submit a revised estimate. A revised estimate for Rupees 1066/-

	Opening Balance	Receipts	Total	Expenditure	Closing Balance
1. 1923-24	3401-10-3	85-2-5½	4256-12-8½	576-8-0	3688-4-8½ as per
2. 1924-25	3688-4-8½	113-4-0	4801-8-8½	663-8-0	3838-3-8½
3. 1925-26.	3838-3-8½	90-14-5½	4929-2-2	428-3-4	4500-14-10

were prepared and submitted by the H. melodar in the year 1918. No action was taken till 22-3-1923 when one Venkatapathi came to this office for the grant of the building to

5. As the chattram has to be reconstructed and not to be repaired, a sum more than Rupees 10000/- is necessary As there are no funds at credit of Sri Srikanteswara Swami temple to meet this heavy expenditure it is not advisable now to take up the building for the of the Temple.

6. The charities are managed by a Board of Trustees and this building is not being managed by the Board but it is under the direct management of Government No funds are given for the management this building.

7. The Board of Trustees, are the charities dealed only in Mysore and the realization is being used towards the repairs of the buildings at Mysore. As the funds at the credit of the charities is meagre, reconstruction of the chattram at Nanjangud cannot be taken up. The accounts of the Trust properties are regularly maintained and the income and expenditure of the Trust properties for a period of 3 years is extended on the margin.

I therefore, request that sanction of Government may kindly be obtained

to the proposals made in my letter No. C.641 (Cours) 25-26 dated 4th April 1926.

The Vernacular Sale of Papers is herewith returned.

"Copy"

Yours &c

The Deputy Commr
The Mysore Dist